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In re PATENT APPLICATION of Dieter Backhaus

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Amendment (Compliant)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 9, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.